Memorandum

Agenda Item No. 8(M)(9)



Date:

December 6, 2011

To:

Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From:

Carlos A. Gimenez

Mayor

Subject:

First Amendment to the Joint Participation Agreement (JPA) Between Miami-Dade County and The City of Hialeth, Providing for Reimbursement to the County for Project Costs Provided to the City for the Construction of Roadway Improvements Along NW 138 Street, from NW 107 Avenue to Florida Department of Transportation Right-of-Way at

I-75 and Termination of the JPA

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) approve the attached resolution authorizing execution of a First Amendment to the Joint Participation Agreement (JPA) between Miami-Dade County (County) and the City of Hialeah (City), to reimburse the County for funds provided to the City for the construction of roadway improvements along NW 138 Street, from NW 107 Avenue to Florida Department of Transportation's (FDOT) right-of-way west of Interstate 75 (I-75) (Project). The Amendment also provides that the remainder of the JPA be terminated after the City provides reimbursement.

SCOPE

The majority of the Project is located along the common municipal boundary of the Cities of Hialeah and Hialeah Gardens, with the remaining portion located completely within the City of Hialeah. The entire length of the Project is within Commission District 12.

FISCAL IMPACT/FUNDING SOURCE

The County agreed to provide funds up to a maximum contribution of \$14,400,000, including contingencies. The project's construction plans were provided by the City at its sole expense. The County's funding was derived from Road Impact Fees (RIF) District 3 (\$3,850,000), Local Option Gas Tax (LOGT) (\$400,000), and Secondary Gas Tax (SGT) (\$10,150,000) funds.

The City was eligible to receive \$6,860,000 through FY 2010-2011. The amount of project reimbursements subsequently paid to the City, and that will be remitted to the County after execution of this Amendment totals \$6,860,000.

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

No additional authority is being requested within the body of this contract.

TRACK RECORD/MONITOR

The County has utilized the resources of the City to contract and construct the project on a reimbursable basis. Disbursement of County funds to the City was based upon City invoices with certified copies of paid contractor invoices. The construction of this Project is ongoing and will be completed by the City.

BACKGROUND

On June 30, 2009, the BCC approved a JPA between Miami-Dade County and the City, to provide County funding for the construction of the Project under Resolution No. R-838-09.

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The Miami-Dade Expressway Authority (MDX) is currently pursuing the extension of SR 924 (Gratigny Expressway) west to the Homestead Extension of the Florida Turnpike (HEFT) and has contacted the City of Hialeah as MDX proposes to utilize NW 138 Street to provide this connection (Attachment 1). The City is in support of this proposed arrangement in order to facilitate access and mobility in this area of the County (Attachment 2). MDX has held public meetings for the project and has determined that the preferred alternative for the project is the NW 138 Street alignment.

In order for MDX to utilize its capital bond funding for the Project, MDX must have a property interest in the proposed facility. Therefore, MDX has requested that NW 138 Street be transferred from the County to MDX jurisdiction through a Road Jurisdiction Transfer Agreement. The resolutions approving a Road Jurisdiction Transfer Agreement between the County and MDX to transfer NW 138 Street from Okeechobee Road/SR 25 to west of I-75, from County to MDX jurisdiction, and the Official Right-of-Way Transfer Map for this roadway are concurrently being presented for approval by the BCC under separate resolutions.

This Amendment to the JPA requires that all funds paid by the County to the City for the Project will be reimbursed by the City within 60 business days of (a) this Amendment to the JPA being approved, (b) the execution of the Road Jurisdiction Transfer Agreement between the County and MDX for NW 138 Street from Okeechobee Road/SR 25 to FDOT's right-of-way west of I-75, and (c) the recordation of the Official Right-of-Way Transfer Map in the Public Record of Miami-Dade County, Florida. Thereafter, the remainder of the JPA shall be terminated and MDX will assume the responsibility to fund the City's Project. A new JPA between the County and the City will be submitted for other programmed projects within the City that will utilize the reimbursed funds.

On August 9, 2011, the City Commission adopted Resolution No. 11-79, approving this Amendment.

County Manager/Deputy Mayor

то:	Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez and Members, Board of County Commissioners	DATE:	December 6, 2011
FROM:	R. A. Cuevas, Jr. County Attorney	SUBJECT:	Agenda Item No. 8(M) (9)
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Veto.	·		12-6-11	
Override				

RESOLUTION NO.

AUTHORIZING THE RESOLUTION TO THE JOINT **PARTICIPATION AMENDMENT** AGREEMENT (JPA) BETWEEN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY AND THE CITY OF HIALEAH, PROVIDING FOR REIMBURSEMENT TO THE COUNTY FOR PROJECT COSTS PROVIDED TO THE CITY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS ALONG NW 138 STREET, FROM NW 107 AVENUE TO FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION RIGHT-OF-WAY AT I-75 AND TERMINATION OF JPA; AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO EXERCISE THE PROVISIONS THEREIN

WHEREAS, this Board desires to accomplish the purposes outlined in the accompanying memorandum, a copy of which is incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, the County and the City agree that funds paid by the County to the City for the Project will be reimbursed by the City within sixty (60) business days of the execution of (a) this Amendment to the Joint Participation Agreement (JPA), (b) the execution of the Road Jurisdiction Transfer Agreement between Miami-Dade County and the Miami-Dade Expressway Authority for NW 138 Street from Okeechobee Road/SR 25 to Florida Department of Transportation right-of-way at I-75, and (c) the recordation of the Official Right-of-Way Transfer Map in the Public Record of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and thereafter the remainder of the JPA shall be terminated, as set forth therein,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that this Board approves this Amendment to the JPA between Miami-Dade County and the City of

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Hialeah, in substantially the form attached hereto and made a part hereof; authorizing the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to execute same for and on behalf of Miami-Dade County and to exercise the provisions contained therein.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Commissioner who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman

Bruno A. Barreiro

Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.

Sally A. Heyman Jean Monestime

Rebeca Sosa

Xavier L. Suarez

Lynda Bell

Jose "Pepe" Diaz

Barbara J. Jordan

Dennis C. Moss

Sen. Javier D. Souto

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 6th day of December, 2011. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

Debra Herman

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FIRST AMENDMENT TO JOINT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT FOR NW 138 STREET FROM NW 107 AVENUE TO FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION RIGHT-OF-WAY AT 1-75 BETWEEN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY AND THE CITY OF HIALEAH

This First Amendment to the Joint Participa	ition Agreement is made and
entered into this day of,	2011, by and between Miami.
Dade County, a political subdivision of the State of	Florida, herein referred to as
the "County", and the City of Hialeah, a political	subdivision of the State of
Florida, herein referred to as the "City".	

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. R-838-09, approved by the Board of County Commissioners of Milami-Dade County, Florida, on June 30, 2009, the parties hereto entered into a Joint Participation Agreement (JPA) to facilitate the construction of a road improvement project in Milami-Dade County, including the construction of roadway improvements along NW 138 Street, from NW 107 Avenue to Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) right-of-way at I-75 in Hialeah, Milami-Dade County, as more particularly described in the JPA (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Miami-Dade Expressway Authority (MDX) is pursuing the extension of SR 924 (Gratigny Expressway) West to the Homestead Extension of the Florida Turnpike (HEFT) and proposes to utilize NW 138 Street to provide this connection; and

WHEREAS, MDX has requested that NW 138 Street, from Okeechobee Road to FDOT right-of-way at I-75 be transferred from the County to MDX

Jurisdiction in order to utilize its capital bond funding along this portion of NW 138 Street; and

WHEREAS, the parties propose to amend the JPA to have all funds paid by the County to the City for the Project reimbursed (\$6,860,000 of the \$14,400,000 commitment), and are now desirous of terminating said JPA; and

WHEREAS, the County, MDX, and the City agree that this arrangement would be beneficial to the public because it will facilitate access and mobility in this developing area of the County,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual desires of the parties hereto, the following modifications are made to the aforementioned JPA:

REIMBURSEMENT OF PROJECT COSTS BY THE CITY: Within sixty (60) business days of the execution of (a) this Amendment to the JPA, (b) the execution of the Road Jurisdiction Transfer Agreement between Miami-Dade County and the Miami-Dade Expressway Authority for NW 138 Street from Okeechobee Road/SR 25 to Florida Department of Transportation right-of-way at 1-75, and (c) the recordation of the Official Right-of-Way Transfer Map in the Public Record of Miami-Dade County, Florida, the City shall pay the County the amount of six million, eight hundred and sixty thousand dollars (\$6.860,000). This constitutes the City's reimbursement to the County for amounts expended by the County in connection with the Project. Following said reimbursement, the parties agree to the immediate termination of the JPA, and neither party shall have any further obligation, liability or responsibility to the other hereunder, each of the parties agreeing to release and discharge the other from any claims and

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto set their hands and official seals the day and year first above written.

ATTEST:	MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, BY ITS BOARD OF
HARVEY RUYIN CLERK OF THE BOARD	COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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BY: Deputy Clerk	BY: County Mayor or County Mayor Designed
Approved by County Atterney as to form and legal sufficiency.	ianor.
ATTEST	CITY OF HIALEAH, a municipal corporation of the State of Florida
BY: Bayis Concepcion City Clerk	- BY:Carlos Hernandez: Mayor
(Affix Dity Seal)	

Approved by City Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency

CITY OF HIALEAH



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STREETS DEPARTMENT

TO:

DAVID CONCEPCION, ACTING CITY CLERK

FROM:

JORGE E. HERNANDEZ, DIRECTOR OF STREETS DEPARTMENT

DATE:

AUGUST 20, 2011

SUBJECT: SCRIVENER'S ERROR

I wish to request a correction of Item 6 approved by City Council on August 9, 2011. The incorrect reimbursement amount stated in Resolution No. 11-79 is \$6,680,00. The correct amount is \$6,860,000. Please alter this Item to reflect the correct reimbursement amount.

Thank you.

Carlos Hernández Mayor

Isis Garcia-Martinez
Council President

Luis González
Council Vice President



City Council Agenda September 13 2011 7:00 P.M. Council Members

Jose F. Caragol Paul B. Hernández Vivian Casáls-Muñoz Katharine E. Cue-Fuente José Yedra

Call to Order/Roll Call of Councilmember's ALL PRESENT

Invocation given by David Concepcion, Acting City Clerk

Pledge of Allegiance led by Katharine E. Cue-Fuente

ALL LOBBYISTS MUST REGISTER WITH THE CITY CLERK

The following guidelines have been established by the City Council:

- As a courtesy to others, please refrain from using cellular telephones or other similar electronic devices in the Council Chamber.
- A maximum of three (3) speakers in favor and three (3) speakers in opposition will be allowed
 to address the Council on any one item. Each speaker's comments will be limited to three (3)
 minutes.
- No signs or placards, in support of or in opposition to an item or speaker, shall be permitted within the Council Chamber.

Presentations -

Certificates of Appreciation presented to The Cultural Affairs Council: Chairwoman Marlen Cepero, Carlos Hugo Gonzalez, Rafael Hernández, Delio Llebrez, Carolina F. Naveiras, Gustavo Orta and Katherine Rey in appreciation for their time and talents as volunteers for our City.

Award of Merit presented to Jorge Arriola for going above and beyond the call of duty in the Communications 911 Center.

Proclamation of the Mayor declaring the month of September as "Literacy Awareness Month"

Proclamation of the Mayor declaring the month of September as "2011 National Childhood Obesity Month in Hialeah"

- 1. Announcement of Amendments/Corrections to the Agenda (if any)
- a. Items HHH and III were added to the agenda.
- b. Item R was withdrawn from the agenda.
- 2. Consent Agenda -
 - A. Report of Scrivener's Error City Council Agenda of May 10, 2011, Item J. (INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPT.) APPROVED (7-0)

- B. Report of Scrivener's Error City Council Agenda of August 9, 2011, Item 6. (STREETS DEPT.) APPROVED (7-0)
- C. Request permission to waive competitive bids, since it is advantageous to the City, and issue a purchase order to Rainbow Transmission, to provide the City of Hialeah Fleet Maintenance Department with rebuilt Allison Transmissions, in a total amount not to exceed \$20,000.00 (FLEET MAINTENANCE DEPT.) APPROVED (7-0)
- D. Request permission to waive competitive bids, since it is advantageous to the City, and issue a purchase order to Palmetto Ford Truck Sales, to provide the City of Hialeah Fleet Maintenance Department with Ford and Sterling truck parts for City trucks, in a total amount not to exceed \$ 20,000.00 (FLEET MAINTENANCE DEPT.) APPROVED (7-0)
- E. Request permission to award Bid #2011/12-3130-12-001 Athletic Apparel/Parks and Recreation and issue purchase orders to A.D. Starr; Royal "T" Screen Printing & Embroidery d/b/a Unicommerce; and Zipp Sporting Goods, Inc., lowest responsive and responsible bidders, to purchase patron uniforms, for a cumulative total amount not to exceed \$68,000. (PARKS AND RECREATION DEPT.) APPROVED (6-0)
- F. Request permission to reject FDOT bid# 2010/11-3210-00-024 138th Street Roadway Planting, for NW 138th Street Roadway planting since the City needs to revise the bid specifications for this project. (STREETS DEPT.) <u>APPROVED (7-0)</u>
- G. Request permission to reject FDOT bid# 2010/11-3210-00-025 NW 97th Avenue Roadway Planting, since the City needs to revise the bid specifications for this project. (STREETS DEPT.) APPROVED (7-0)
- H. Proposed resolution, authorizing the expenditure of Law Enforcement Trust Funds —State in an amount not to exceed \$1,000 to support the organization of Concerns of Police Survivors (C.O.P.S.), upon such costs having been approved by the chief of police, in substantial form as attached hereto and made a part hereof as exhibit "1." (POLICE DEPT.) APPROVED (7-0) RESO. 2011-88
- I. Request permission to waive competitive bids, since it is advantageous to the City, and increase purchase order # 2011-991 to Iron Mountain Records for records storage, retrieval and maintenance, in the amount of \$2,000, for a total amount not to exceed \$47,500. (CITY CLERK.) APPROVED (7-0)
- J. Request permission to waive competitive bids, since it is advantageous to the City, and issue purchase order to D.T. Transport, LLC; Overland Carrier, Inc., and General Asphalt, to purchase asphalt, fill and rock materials to be utilized by the Water and Sewers Department, for a total cumulative amount not to exceed \$60,000. (WATER AND SEWERS DEPT.) APPROVED (7-9)
- K. Request permission to issue a purchase order to Springbrook Software, Inc., the supplier of the Water and Sewers Department's billing system, to cover the costs associated with the system's annual maintenance from October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012, for a total amount not to exceed \$69,247.80. (WATER AND SEWERS DEPT.) APPROVED (7-0)

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA APPROVING A FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE JOINT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT WITH MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA TO CONSTRUCT A MULTI-LANE ROADWAY ON NW 138 STREET, FROM NW 107 AVENUE TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION RIGHT-OF-WAY AT 1-75, AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE CITY CLERK, AS ATTESTING WITNESS, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, TO ENTER A FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE JOINT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT IN SUBSTANTIAL FORM AS ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF AS EXHIBIT "1" AND TO EXECUTE SUCH DOCUMENTS AND AGREEMENTS IN FURTHERANCE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Hialeah, Fla., Resolution 09-45 (May 1, 2009), the City entered into a Joint Participation Agreement with Miami-Dade County to construct a six-lane roadway, from NW 107 Avenue to the Florida Department of Transportation right-of-way at I-75, with the County funding no more than \$14,400,000, which included a contingency fund of \$650,000; and

WHEREAS, as provided in Resolution 09-45, the City made a finding that it is in its best interest to facilitate the construction of county road improvements within the City of Hialeah with funds reimbursed by the County through the County road impact fees and gasoline taxes; and

WHEREAS, the County intends to enter into a Road Jurisdiction Transfer Agreement transferring jurisdictional control of NW 138 Street to Miami-Dade Expressway Authority ("MDX") for the extension and improvement of State Road 924; and

WHEREAS, through this First Amendment to the Joint Participation Agreement, the City shall pay the County the sum of \$6,680,00 for reimbursement of the City's portion of this Agreement (funds supplied by Miami-Dade Expressway Authority (MDX) within 60 business days from the execution of this First Amendment, the Road Jurisdiction Transfer Agreement and recordation of the transfer in the Official Right-of-Way Transfer Map in the public records of Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, upon payment to the County, the Joint Participation Agreement shall be terminated subject to survival of the City indemnity and hold harmless obligations in favor of the County to the extent applicable.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

Resolution No.	11-79
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Section 1: The City of Hialeah, Florida hereby approves a First Amendment to Joint Participation Agreement for NW 138 Street, from NW 107 Avenue to the Florida Department of Transportation Right-Of-Way at I-75 with Miami-Dade County, Florida to construct a multi-lane roadway on NW 138 Street, from NW 107 Avenue to the Florida Department of Transportation right-of-way at I-75.

Section 2: The City of Hialeah, Florida hereby authorizes the Mayor and the City Clerk, as attesting witness, on behalf of the City, to enter into the aforesaid First Amendment to Joint Participation Agreement, in substantial form as attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit "1", and to execute such documents and agreements in furtherance thereof.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day o	f August	_, 2011.
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Attest: Approved on this	day of	_, 2011.
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David Concepcion, Acting City Clerk	Mayor Carlos Hernandez	
Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:		
William Frodnich		
William M. Grodnick, City Attorney		

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Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote with Councilmembers, Caragol, Casals-Muñoz, Cue-Fuente, Garcia-Martinez, Gonzalez, Hernandez and Yedra voting "Yes".



MIAMI-DADE EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITY An Agency of The State of Florida

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FIGLIX M. LASARTE, ESQ. LOUIS V. MARTINEZ, ESQ. TORGE AL VIGIL, ESO. GUS PEGO, P.E.

FDOT District Six Secretary

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JAVIER RODRÍGUEZ, P.E. Executive Director MARIA LUISA NAVIA LOBO Secretary

September 17, 2010

Ms. Esther Calas, P.E., Director Miami-Dade County Public Works Department Stephen P. Clark Center 111 NW 1st Street, 16th Floor Miami, Florida 33128

N.W. 138th Street Roadway Jurisdictional Transfer in support of MDX Project #92404, SR 924 Extension West to the Homestead Extension of the Florida Tumpike

Dear Ma Calas: Exten

I am writing to respectfully request that N.W. 138th Street be transferred from Miami-Dade County to MDX jurisdiction. MDX is pursuing the extension of SR 924 to the HEFT as part of the MDX Master Plan and MPO's Long-Range Transportation Plan utilizing the N.W. 138th Street corridor. The project includes a six-lane divided at-grade typical section along N.W. 138th Street, similar to the plans currently under construction by the City of Hialeah.

The expressway extension is proposed to be tolled at its eastern- and western-most connections with SR 924 and HEFT, respectively with the roadway section in between remaining as a controlled access, non-tolled facility. In order for MDX to utilize its capital bond funding for the project, MDX must have a property interest in the proposed facility and is, therefore, requesting the roadway transfer from the County. Once the transfer has occurred. MDX will reimburse the City for costs incurred to widen the roadway, which will then allow the City to reimburse the County for its contributions toward the N.W. 138th Street widening. MDX will also assume perpetual maintenance responsibility for the transferred roadway facility as part of its System.

Please begin preparation of right-of-way maps for this section of N.W. 138th Street as required for the jurisdictional transfer to MDX. Thank you for your assistance in this regard. If any additional information is needed, please contact MDX Director of Engineering Mr. Alfred Lurigados at (305) 637-3277 extension 2114 or alurigados@mdxway.com.

Sincerely,

Jayler Rodfiguez,

Executive Directe

Cc:

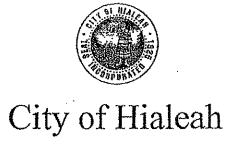
Mayor Julio Robaina, City of Hialeah Mayor Yioset De La Cruz, City of Hialeah Gardens Gaspar Miranda, Miami-Dade County Public Works Department Alfred Lurigados, MDX Pamela Leslie, MDX Mary Conway, HNTB

Attachment 1

Julio Robaina Mayor

Carlos Hernandez Council President

Jose Yedra
Council Vice President



Council Members

Jose F. Caragot Vivian Casals-Muñez Katharine E. Cue Isis Garcia-Martinez Luis Gonzalez

September 29, 2010

Mrs. Esther L. Calas, P.E., Director Miami-Dade County Public Works 111 NW 1 Street –Suite 1510 Miami, Florida 33128-1970

Re: NW 138th Street Roadway Transfer and Agreement Modification

Dear Mrs. Calas:

An agreement between Miami-Dade County and the City of Hialeah currently exists for the construction of the NW 138th Street corridor, which links I-75 to 107th Avenue.

MDX is proposing to eventually extend the western portion of this corridor to the HEFT and utilize this newly constructed surface corridor as a direct link between the two expressway systems as an eventual direct continuation of the Gratigny Expressway.

The City of Hialeah is in support of this proposed arrangement in order to facilitate access and mobility in this newly annexed and developing area of the County,

Respectfully,

Julio Robaina

Mayor -

cc: Javier Rodriguez, MDX

JR/jeh S:WnCorrgonDadeCountyCalasMOX138AgreementSupport

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> > Attachment 2

